

## Message Text

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R 041843Z APR 77  
FM AMEMBASSY OTTAWA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3040  
ERDAHQS WASHDC  
AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: TECH, IAEA, ARM, JA  
SUBJECT: CANADA/JAPAN NUCLEAR NEGOTIATIONS

REF: A. TOKYO 4263; B. OTTAWA 2011

1. IN RESPONSE TO REF A, SCICOUNS MET WITH FULFORD OF  
EXTAFF 1 APRIL. AS STATED REF B, GOJ STILL NOT INITIALED  
AGREEMENT. POSITION OF GOJ IS NOT TO SIGN FULL DRAFT TEXT  
"UNDER DURESS" BUT MAY INITIAL EXCHANGE OF NOTES ON KEY  
POINTS. PROBLEM FOR GOC IS THAT CABINET MAY NOT APPROVE  
ANYTHING LESS THAN FULL TEXT. ACCORDING TO FULFORD, GOJ  
NEGOTIATORS AGREED TO CANADA VETO OVER REPROCESSING. ALSO  
REACHED QUID PRO QUO POSITION WHEREBY A) GOC WOULD ALLOW  
ENRICHMENT OF CANADA-SUPPLIED URANIUM UP TO 20 PERCENT,  
BUT WOULD CONTROL SITE AND CONDITIONS FOR LEVELS GREATER  
THAN 20 PERCENT, AND B) GOJ WOULD ACCEPT GOC CONTROLS OVER  
EXPORT OF CANDU TECHNOLOGY.

2. CANADA LESS CONCERNED ABOUT CONTROL OF HEAVY WATER  
MANUFACTURING TECHNOLOGY AS LONG AS LATTER IS A "CRITICAL  
TECHNOLOGY" ON NSG'S "TRIGGER LIST." QUESTION OF HEAVY  
WATER UPGRADING CAPACITY, E.G., IF SMALL DISTILLATION  
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FACILITY SIZED TO REACTOR IT SERVES, APPEARS TO BE MINOR  
PROBLEM.

3. COMMENTS: IT APPEARS THAT IF A) GOJ NEGOTIATIONS FOR  
IAEA SAFEGUARDS PROCEED ON SCHEDULE WITH EARLY DIET RATI-  
FICATION; AND B) TWO GOVERNMENTS CAN AGREE ON EXCHANGE OF  
NOTES WITHOUT REQUIRING SIMULTANEOUS APPROVAL OF FULL TEXT,

AGREEMENT COULD BE AT AN EARLY DATE. ENDERS

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